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The dog tax law will be enforced in this, as well as all other Kentucky counties this year. We are informed that the State authorities have started proceedings to force the levy and collection of this tax, which the Court of Appeals has decided to be constitutional.

The proceeds of the dog tax are used to pay for sheep killed by dogs. If any surplus remains at the end of the year it is paid to the Superintendent of Schools of the county and is used in extending the school term.

Lawrence county has about 2000 dogs listed. The number of sheep in the county, as shown by the Assessor's book is about twice as great as that of dogs. A conservative estimate on this basis shows that at least \$1,000 per year should be added to the school fund of this county by the enforcement of this law.

The dog tax law has some strong enemies and also some strong advocates, but as long as it remains on the statute books of Kentucky the officers are compelled to enforce it.

The tax was collected in most of the counties last year and a great deal of money was added to the school fund.

Monument to Fletcher Golden.

As the Western Virginia Conference of the M. E. Church, South, has erected no monument to the memory of Rev. Fletcher Golden, who was for many years an honored member of that body and died May 30, 1890 while serving as presiding elder on the Prestonsburg district the church at Iez, Ky., (that being the home of his daughter Mrs. L. Dempsey) purposes erecting a church to be called "Golden Memorial," and hereby give to the public and his numerous friends an opportunity of contributing to the funds necessary for the erection of this, the most fitting monument that could be reared in honor of a man who gave his life for the church. Any one desiring to contribute to this worthy enterprise, will send their contributions to R. L. Hale, treasurer, Iez, Ky.

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The Protracted Meeting.

Continuing from the service of last Sunday evening a protracted meeting is now being held at the Southern Methodist Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. G. C. Hutchinson. There is now both an afternoon and night service, the afternoon service having begun Wednesday. The interest and the attendance are good. The meeting will be continued next week, and the pastor hopes to have competent assistance by that time.

Killing in Floyd.

The News has information to the effect that on Sunday morning, at or near the mouth of Beaver creek, Floyd county, Lands Weddington killed Newt Frazier. Weddington used a spike pole, wielding it with such force that Frazier's skull was crushed like an egg shell, causing his victim's death on the following day. The assailant is out on a bond of \$3,000. We have no particulars concerning the homicide.

Rev. H. B. Hulett.

There seems to be some confusion as to which one of the H. B. Hulett is a candidate for Circuit Clerk. To clear this up we will state that it is Rev. H. B. Hulett. He has a brother bearing the same initials and this fact accounts for the confusion.

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And to Democratic Committeemen of Lawrence County.

All Democratic committeemen and all candidates for magistrate and constable are called to meet at Louisa on April 1st to decide upon the time and manner of making Democratic nominations for these offices in the various districts of Lawrence county.

This will be quite an important meeting on account of certain questions that have arisen and a full attendance is urged.

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Accident to Mrs. Willson.

Gov. Willson and Mrs. Willson and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Lyman, of New York, very narrowly escaped death when the horses attached to Gov. Willson's carriage ran away late Sunday afternoon at Frankfort. As a result of the accident Mrs. Willson was left unconscious, two of her front teeth were broken and her left wrist fractured. Gov. Willson was bruised on many parts of his body. Mr. Lyman's face was cut and bruised in contusion. Mrs. Lyman was the only member of the party not injured.

Fell in a Fit.

A man named White, who lives in the George's creek country, fell in an epileptic fit while walking on the C. & O. track near the Three-Mile Bridge last Friday afternoon. Some men who saw him put him in a truck car and brought him to this city. He was able to go home next day.

Death of Aged Woman.

Mrs. Thos. Chaffin died near Fort Gay Wednesday at the age of 82. Rev. A. H. Miller went over there yesterday and preached the funeral. Mr. Chaffin, husband of the deceased, survives at the age of 87.

Thos. Webb, of Wenatchee, Wash., has been in this county visiting relatives for two months, but will return to Washington in a few days. A number of persons from Ellington county will go with him. He thinks there is no better country anywhere than Wenatchee.

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It was not previously known to our people that Judge Hampton had expected to be present, but all regretted that he was prevented from coming.

Big Sandy Against the World.

We have learned indirectly that Fred Vinson, of this place is leading in all his classes at Center College, Danville, in true Big Sandy style. To show how well he is doing the fact that on one examination he made an average of 98 per cent, while the next man to him made 85. The Bluegrass thoroughbreds are easily distanced by this mountain boy. The NEWS warned them when Fred entered last fall. He will finish at Danville this year.

New Magisterial Districts.

By an order of the County Court made on Monday last the various voting precincts of Lawrence county are now arranged as follows:

No. 1, Upper Louisa and Dobbins, No. 2, Rockcastle, Peach Orchard and Gambill, No. 3, Georges Creek and Little Blaine, No. 4, Blaine and Cherokee, No. 5, Swetnam and Lyons No. 6, East Fork, Dry Fork and Cat; No. 7, Bear Creek and Fallsburg, No. 8, Lower Louisa, Twin Branch and Busseyville.

75 YEARS OLD.

Celebration of Anniversary of Judge R. T. Burns' Birth.

It has been the pleasure of the News to notice on more than one occasion some important and interesting events in the life of our highly esteemed, much loved and venerable fellow citizen, Mr. R. T. Burns. It seems but yesterday that he and his equally esteemed and loved wife celebrated that rare occurrence in the lives of married people, the golden anniversary of their wedding. Now it becomes our pleasing duty to chronicle the celebration of the seventy-fifth birthday of Mr. Burns.

This happy incident in the life of our friend was remembered in a most delightful way on the night of Tuesday, March 16. The day you will notice, is very near the anniversary of good old St. Patrick, and the memory of R. T. Burns will be cherished and kept green in the hearts of his unnumbered friends even as loyal Irishmen love and reverence the memory of their patron saint.

The auspicious event was marked in numerous ways, but the crowning feature of the celebration was a feast of the material good things of this life. It was spread at 6 p. m. or thereabouts, and if the festive table lacked aught in its array of what satisfies the most delicate or exacting appetite, it was the first time a feast ever lacked anything in that hospitable mansion. The guests were numerous, and if the beautiful home were large enough all his friends would have been there, but a house of that capacity has not yet been built.

It is well that any and all anniversaries of R. T. Burns should be observed, and that his family and friends should remember them. His life during the many years of his residence in Louisa has been an open book. Active and useful in the work of the Sunday school and the church, he has been a great power for great good. As a lay preacher, so to speak, his sermons taught only the higher and better things of life, and he has practised what he preached. His life among us has been without blemish, spot or stain.

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A. O. Carter, Chairman.

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Gov. Willson and Mrs. Willson, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Lyman, of New York, very narrowly escaped death when the horses attached to Gov. Willson's carriage ran away late Sunday afternoon at Frankfort. As a result of the accident Mrs. Willson was left unconscious, two of her front teeth were broken, and her

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM MANY STATES

Important News Gathered from Abroad for the Benefit of Our Readers.

China is about to take a census of the uncounted millions within her borders.

The one hundredth anniversary of Masonry in Indiana was celebrated Saturday at Vincennes.

The Southern conference of Unitarian Churches will be held in New Orleans March 23, 24 and 25.

Urey Jones, on trial at Muscatine, Ia., for the murder of Mr. and Mrs. Vanwinkle, committed suicide in the county jail by hanging.

Senator Bailey, of Texas, visited the Whitehouse recently for the second time in his life, he said the first time being many years ago.

Maj. Henry C. Newcomer, of the United States Engineers in charge of the Ohio River, has begun the securing of data showing the amount of water taken from the river at various points through municipal water plants.

In the sight of a score of pedestrians Fredrick H. Brown, a traveling salesman swallowed carbolic acid while walking along Halstead street, Chicago and died a few minutes later.

John Charbonneau, a hunter and trapper, died at his home twelve miles from Alpena, Mich., aged 104 years.

The Government's case against the Standard Oil Company was brought to an abrupt close in Chicago. Judge Anderson instructing the jury to return a verdict of not guilty.

The will of W. H. Tilford, one of the vice presidents of the Standard Oil Company, who died recently, leaves \$4,000,000 to his grand nephew.

As the minister was preaching the sermon on "Death" at the Lowell church, in Garred county, Mrs. Susie Smith, who occupied the front pew, fell forward to the church floor and immediately expired.

Leading Republican insurgents did not attend the House caucus at Washington. Joseph G. Cannon, referred to as "The Iron Duke of American Politics," as renominated for Speaker for the fourth time, and the caucus decided to vote for the retention of the present rules.

Louisville, Kentucky, March 13.—State aid in building good roads in Kentucky was the slogan at a meeting of the board of directors, of the Kentucky Good Roads Association, held at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. To secure State aid the association will labor for the success of the Bosworth-Wyatt good road amendment to the Constitution, which will be before the voters of the State at the next Nov. election.

R. N. Ratliff, the mule dealer of Sharpsburg, has bought and shipped South 272 mules since December 1, thus breaking the record since he

has been in business many years and surpassing the record made by any other one man.

Dayton, O.—Another baffling mystery confronts the police in this discovery of the decomposed body of an unknown white woman in the canal below the Apple street bridge. In the opinion of the officers it must have lain in the water about a month. Six girls have been slain in Dayton recently. Four of the murders have never been solved.

A crop of 1909 tobacco has been sold in Fleming county, notwithstanding the fact that the crop is yet to be grown. The seller will put out a large acreage and has agreed to deliver his crop to the purchaser at \$12.50 per hundred-weight. It is understood that the purchaser will put the crop in pool.

Nicholasville, Ky., March 12.—Anna Davis, Edith and Grace Stull, three students at the Jessamine Institute, school for young women, went to their room about 8 o'clock tonight. While preparing to retire for the night they found a negro under the bed. The girls screamed and ran. During the excitement the negro made his escape. Bloodhounds from Lexington were brought here and with the assistance of the local police they hope to locate the negro.

Jessamine Institute is one of the best known female colleges in Central Kentucky. It is supposed the negro entered the girls' room while they were at dinner. The three girls are all residents of the county.

Frankfort, Ky., March 11.—The Court of Appeals today affirmed the judgment of the Clark Circuit Court in the case of Moses B. Feltner against Felix Feltner, an echo of the Breathitt feud troubles. Moses Feltner sued appellee and the Winchester Bank, alleging that he delivered to B. F. Feltner, in December, 1904, \$1,000, for safekeeping and that Feltner deposited the money in bank to his own credit.

The facts of the case as shown by the records, are that Mrs. James B. Marcus sued James Hargis for damages for the death of her husband, and Mose Feltner was a witness on her behalf. Shortly before the trial Mose was induced to go to Ohio until the trial was over, and was paid \$1,000, and defendants agreed to help and stand by him out of an indictment for murder pending in Breathitt.

Felix Feltner was at Winchester a friend of Hargis and it was arranged to put the money in his hands. When Mose returned, Felix refused to pay him the \$1,000.

Curt Jett, who is serving a life term in the Frankfort penitentiary for the murder of James B. Marcus, and who said he had been converted to Christianity, has made an exemplary prisoner and is said to be one of the best Biblical scholars in the penitentiary. Jett has written a story of his conversion, in which he asks Gov. Willson to pardon him.

Bank Talks By The Louisa National Bank — Louisa, Ky.

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R. L. Vinson.

"HON. JIM."

Is One of The Busiest Men In Congress.

The Washington correspondent in writing up the W. Virginia Congressman, has this to say of our former townsman, Hon. James A. Hughes.

"While James Anthony Hughes has served as long as Gaines, he has not been so prominent or as much in public print. The Hughes stronghold is to keep a firm hand and watchful eye on his district, and he is probably in closer touch with the voters of his district than any other member of the West Virginia delegation. Hughes was given a small chairmanship in this Congress, the committee on accounts, and while the aforesaid committee does not give opportunity for fame or oratory, the Hon. Jim has much to do, and his name gets into the Congressional Record very often, thanks to his reports.

"Hughes is number three on the census committee, and this body will have a lot to do in the next House. The Hon. Jim can fix a few of his constituents with good places in the census office perhaps easier than other members not on the committee, and this fact seems very well known in the Fifth district, judging by the letters of anxious ones who desire a residence and salary in Washington. It must also be told of Hughes that he comes back to Congress every two years with the largest majority of the whole West Virginia bunch, and despite all the woes and tribulations, and Governor Glasscock got the benefit of the large vote cast in the elections of the last campaign in the State. Hughes led all his colleagues when the returns were tabulated. Of course we hear of slick and secure methods in the Fifth district that make for large Republican majorities.

Hughes ballyhoo last November.

APPLICATION

Filed For Pardons For Taylor, Finley and Powers.

Frankfort, Ky., March 11.—The filing of the petition for pardon with Gov. Augustus E. Willson, asking executive clemency for William S. Taylor, former Secretary of State Charles Finley, Capt. John Powers and others, who have been fugitives from this State for nearly nine years charged with being conspirators in the murder of Gov. William Goebel, has revived the talk in connection with the Goebel reward fund.

The fund of \$100,000 placed in the hands of a commission which had the power to use it in bringing to justice the murderer or murderers of Gov. Goebel, has been denominated a corruption fund by those charged with the crime and has figured largely in all the trials.

The attorneys for the defense have always pleaded that it was blood money and have posted as martyrs to the fund in the reward offered. In all of the trials and speeches in defense of the prisoners, this fund was dwelt on extensively and the power that it could be brought into use.

One of the principal grounds for the pardons is this fund which rests over the fugitives.

The commissioner in charge of the fund is headed by Judge Lewis McQuown, of Frankfort.

It develops that during all the trials that only about \$14,000 has been drawn from the treasury, and this has been drawn on warrants approved and on file in the Auditor's office. The balance of the fund is still in the treasury.

Another Plea.

The Mt. Sterling Advocate, in championing a clean Democratic primary in Montgomery county, advises the candidates not to be in too great a hurry in announcing themselves unless they desire to be made the prey of "bloodsuckers." It says:

Some months ago we gave prospective candidates the benefit of our judgment concerning announcing for office so long in advance of the date of nomination and election. We think that even now there is no need to be in a hurry, unless they wish to be "bled" or convert themselves into a loan agency (?) or a charity organization—due returns to be had on the day of primary. Some people are willing to be baited, yea, are anxious for it. So far as the moral quality of the act is concerned, we regard the buyer of a vote equally if not more corrupt than the seller of a vote. We hope that

A FACT ABOUT THE "BLUES"

What is known as the "Blues" is seldom occasioned by actual existing external conditions, but in the great majority of cases by a disorder of LIVER.

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TAKE NO SUBSTITUTE.

the time will soon come when another (?) campaign can be conducted in Montgomery without the use of whiskey, money or other things of value for the specific purpose of changing the vote of the county. Let a candidate's success depend upon his sociability, agreeableness, kindness, honesty, morality and qualification for the office to which he aspires. The ideal (yet possible) citizenship and government will be attained only when these qualities and others like unto them predominate. All candidates are not alike; some prefer a clean defeat to a corrupt victory.

To Freshen Bread.

When a large quantity of homemade bread has been baked at one time, some of it, if kept long, is sure to become hard and unappetizing. This can be made as good as new by a very simple method. Dip the loaf in cold water, put it in a heated through. After it has been pan in the oven, and bake until it is taken out wrap it in a damp cloth, and when cold it will be quite as good as when first baked.

If hot bread is desired for breakfast the above method may be used for reheating. Bread, muffins and rolls reheated in this way are just as appetizing and are said to be more healthful than freshly-baked hot breads. Certainly less time and trouble are necessary to serve hot bread by this method than to mix and bake it fresh.—Farm and Fireside.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his company.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A mass meeting in memory of the late President Grover Cleveland was held in Carnegie Hall, New York, Thursday afternoon. The speakers included Chief Justice Fuller, Gov. Hughes, of New York, and Mayor McCallan, of New York City.

VALUABLE INFORMATION for the Buyers of SEWING MACHINES

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Sewing machine recently placed on the market by the Free Sewing Machine Co. combines the best qualities of all other machines. It is the latest, best and most complete achievement in building a sewing machine. Compare it with all other machines in anything in which they claim to excel and you will find it easily be the best.

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Interesting Facts Gathered During the Week by Our Regular Correspondents.

Gallup.

Mrs. Sarah Debo, of Portsmouth, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Agnes Chapman, of this place.

Bert Calloway was visiting at W. S. Chapman's Tuesday.

Bro. Riffe and wife and Bella Shivel spent Sunday with Mrs. P. S. Shivel.

James Smith and Phillip Shivel have been hauling licks this week.

Corilda Chapman and Sarah Debo spent Sunday with Maggie Belcher.

Charley Moore attended meeting at Needmore Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Owens and granddaughter spent Sunday with her son, Charley Moore.

Tom McClure, who has been buying cattle has returned home.

Mrs. Emma Burgess visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McClure, Sunday.

Miss Belle Shivel and Miss Lizzie Jane Burgess were visiting at Tom McClure's Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Chapman spent Sunday with Lydia Chapman.

Mrs. Laura Hardick, of Donithan, was visiting her parents Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie Belcher is visiting her son, Newton Belcher at Prestonsburg.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely with large attendance.

Bro. Riffe preached here Saturday and Sunday night.

Frank Wells was visiting friends at this place Saturday and Sunday.

Canada Smith has been visiting friends at Jettie.

Sweet Peas.

Women Praise This Remedy.

If you have pains in the back, urinary, bladder or kidney trouble, and want a certain, pleasant herb cure for woman's ills, try Mother Gray's Australian-Leaf. It is a safe and never-failing regulator. At druggists or by mail facts. Sample package FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

Yatesville.

The sick of our neighborhood are Mrs. H. B. Salter, Mrs. Fanny Boggs, Mrs. Belle Rice, Miss Ethel Rice, and Mrs. Wash Rice. Mostly all of whom are improving. The prevailing trouble is a gripe. We have also got the mumps, and last but not least, are visited by plenty of candidates which are about as tough on us as any of the other above named troubles.

Blacksmith Jordan is getting all he work he can do.

John Short, a former resident of Lat, but now of Hampton City, was here one day last week on business.

Charles R. and Milton Carter have sold their Blaine bottom farm to Meredith Layne, of Pike county, the farm is known as the Daniel Casey farm and the consideration \$300. Mr. Layne will move to the place at once.

John C. Berry is now domiciled in the Henry H. Hogg house.

Farmers are busily engaged preparing their ground for the corn crop and a few will try a tobacco crop.

Country Greenhorn.

BLOOD

We live by our blood, and on it. We thrive or starve, as our blood is rich or poor. There is nothing else to live on or by.

When strength is full and spirits high we are being refreshed—bone, muscle and brain, in body and mind—with continual flow of rich blood. This is health.

When weak, in low spirits, no cheer, no spring, when rest is not rest and sleep is not sleep, we are starved; our blood is poor; there is little nutriment in it.

Back of the blood is food, to keep the blood rich. When it fails, take

SCOTT'S EMULSION

It sets the whole body going again—man, woman and child.

Send this advertisement, together with name of paper in which it appears, your address and four cents to cover postage, and we will send you a "Complete Handy Atha of the World."

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Ratcliff.

Prayer meeting at this place every Wednesday night with good success. Mrs. G. B. Belcher, who has been dangerously ill for a few weeks, is much improved.

Several of the Belle's Trace people attended church at Sand Hill Sunday.

Howard and Ottie Wilson, of Logan V. Va., are visiting their grandparent at this place.

Miss Rosa Pennington is no better.

Bill Roberts, who has been working at Logan, W. Va., for a few months, has returned home.

Misses Nannie and Carrie Webb were visiting the Sturgill girls Sunday.

Wm. Mullins, J. H. Wilson and A. E. Lunford attended court at Grayson last week.

Con Lester, who has been visiting friends at this place, has returned to Holden W. Va., where he has been working for some time.

Robert Carroll, of Glenwood was visiting Miss Gertie Cassidy recently. G. B. Belcher made a trip to Willard Saturday.

Lon Lester and Ed Waddell have gone to Holden, W. Va., to work.

Sam McKinney will soon have his new house completed.

Calvin Thomas will farm with M. F. Waddell this summer.

Joe and Charley Bentley, of this place attended church at Green Valley Sunday.

Harlan Woods was on Belle Trace Sunday.

Pansy.

THE ROAD TO SUCCESS.

Has many obstructions, but none so desperate as poor health. Success today demands health, but Electric Bitters is the greatest health builder the world has ever known. It compels perfect action of the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, purifies and enriches the blood, and tones and invigorates the whole system. Vigorous body and keen brain follow their use. You can't afford to slight Electric Bitters if weak, run-down or sickly. Only 50¢. Guaranteed by A. M. Hughes, Louisa, Ky.

Ledocio.

Dr. Jno. Moore has moved to his new home at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Z. Jordan visited Mr. and Mrs. Asberry Thompson Sunday.

Lum Hayes spent Sunday at this place.

Anderson Spencer spent Sunday with home folks.

Married on the 6th of this month, Mr. Freet Berry to Miss Emily Griff.

The prayer meeting and Sunday school are progressing nicely with T. W. Ball Supt.

There will be a pie mite at Mattie Saturday.

Joe Swetnam is visiting in our community.

Mrs. Belle Moore is improving.

Doctor.

A HURRY UP CALL.

Quick, Mr. druggist, quick—A box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve—Here's a favor—for the love of Moses hurry. Baby's burned himself, terribly—Johnnie cut his foot with the axe—May's scalded, Pa can't walk from piles—Billie has boils—and my corn aches. She got it and soon cured all the family. It's the greatest healer on earth. Sold by A. M. Hughes.

Hulette.

There will be church here the third Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fugett were visiting Freeland Moore Sunday.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Lizzie Ruggles.

Bertie Nunley, who has been sick, is improving.

John Queen, of this place, has moved his family to Price, W. Va.

James Furett has moved to his farm near Kinner.

Dr. J. C. Hall was on our creek Tuesday.

Jay O'Daniel is expected home soon. Willie Skeen has been very low with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Nunley will visit Portsmouth soon.

Sarah Cochran and Mary Layne spent Sunday with home folks.

John Short of Catlettsburg was here last week.

Cecile.

You will find choice seed potatoes at Elwick & Hale's store.

Lick Creek.

Bro. Harvey has been holding a protracted meeting at Miller's Chapel.

Rev. Albert Miller preached at Lick creek Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Emma Shannon and brother, visited their sister, Mrs. Mort Isaac Sunday.

W. H. Cox, of Thacker, W. Va., is working at Torchlight.

Alex Shannon is on the sick list.

Wm. Jordan passed up Lick creek Sunday.

Millard Wilson has moved into the house vacated by John Wilson.

The Shannon brothers are having good success with their logs.

The Cheek brothers are hauling James Shannon and family visited George Cheek last Sunday.

Charley Wilson has moved to Renen.

Quite a crowd of young folks attended church at Lick Creek Sunday.

Lee Shannon has returned from Torchlight.

Bill Cartmel, of Ashland, is visiting his parents at Torchlight.

Millard Wilson had the misfortune to lose a fine cow Saturday night.

Flower of a Man.

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Overda

Claudie Holbrook and Lora Young are the guests of Eliza Blankenship Thursday.

Miss Dova Holbrook has been sick a few days.

Born to Ed Jones and wife, a three pound boy.

Eliza Blankenship and Jessie Hayes were the guests of Maudie and Minnie Diamond Sunday.

Miss Mary Webb was shopping at Overda Friday.

There will be church at Polly's Chapel the third Sunday.

Miles and Oscar Diamond passed up our creek Sunday.

Virgil Adams and brother Drew, and Claud Young attended church at Green Valley Sunday.

Dovie Evans, Mary Adams, and Sarah Crabtree were shopping at Overda Saturday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Woods, who has been sick, is no better.

Easter Blankenship and Eliza Clevenger visited Miss America Adams last week.

Blue Eyes.

There was church here Sunday and baptism. There will also be church here next Saturday night and Sunday by Rev. Jed Borders.

Miss Gertie Stewart visited Miss Anna Hickman Saturday.

Mrs. Trinelle Miller visited her mother, Mrs. Lucinda Johnson, Sunday.

Frank Miller is working for J. C. Peters at Walbridge.

Allen Castle and wife were visiting home folks recently.

Nelson Hale of Martin county, visited Miss Della Reynolds Sunday.

Levi Miller and Ezra Hinkle attended church on Little Blaine Sunday evening.

G. V. Pack and wife were the guests of John Reynolds Sunday.

Doug Johnson and wife visited relatives near Richardson last Saturday.

Several of the George's creek boys attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. Mille Childers who has been very ill, is improving.

Mrs. Bell Stanley is improving.

Rev. A. H. Miller conducted services at Lick Creek Saturday and Sunday.

G. H. Priest has returned home from Wolf, where he has been engaged in a timber job.

Miss Stella Hickman visited the Stewart girls Sunday.

Lyss Kise is doing a fine business sawing.

A Mountain Boy.

FOR RENT, CHEAP—One large

house and dwelling combined, best stand in Louisa for General Merchandise.

G. V. Meek's old stand, Write G. V. Meek, 1601, 9th avenue, Huntington, W. Va.

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FRIDAY, March 19, 1909.

Announcements

We are authorized to announce
JOHN H. THOMPSON, of Fallsburg,
a candidate for County Judge,
subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic party.Night riders have resumed their
lawlessness in Christian and Caldwell
counties. Plant beds of independent
farmers are being scraped and sown
with grass and feeling is running
high. Four tobacco beds were destroyed
near Hopkinsville Monday night.

Walbridge.

Miss Kizzie See very pleasantly en-
tained at her home at Walbridge
Saturday evening. The guests were
Misses Louise Wheeler, Virginia
Strawberry, Fairy Holt and Ethel
See. Misses Everett Caldwell, C. J.
Martells, Clyde Carter and John
Maya. Three Mile.

EASY TO MIX

—X—

This Simp'e Recipe for Didney or
Bladder Trouble or RheumatismWhat will appear very interest-
ing to many people here is the
article taken from a New York daily
paper, giving a simple prescription
which is said to be a positive remedy
for backache or kidney or bladder
derangement, if taken before the
onset of Bright's disease.Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half
ounce; Compound Karon, one ounce;
Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three
ounces. Shake well in a bottle and
take in teaspoonful doses after each
meal and at bedtime.A well known druggist here at
home, when asked regarding this
prescription, stated that the in-
gredients are all harmless, and can
be obtained at a small cost from
any good prescription pharmacy.
The prescription would be put
up if asked to do so. He further
stated that while this prescription
is often prescribed for rheumatic
afflictions, he could not see why
it would not be a splendid remedy
for kidney and urinary troubles
and backache, as he has a peculiar
action upon the kidney structure,
cleansing these most important
organs and helping them to sift
and filter from the blood the
dead acids and waste matter which
cause sickness and suffering. Those
of our readers who suffer can make
no mistake in giving it a trial.

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take it or not, as he says.We publish our formulas
from our medicines
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consult your
doctorBillious attacks, sick-headaches, indiges-
tion, constipation, dizzy spells—these
are some of the results of an inactive
liver. Ask your doctor if he endorses
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Denton.

A series of meetings has just
closed here, which were conducted
by the Rev. Frank Thomas, resulted
nearly 75 conversions who were re-
ceived by baptism into the church.
A number came from other church
organizations. A church has been
organized and everything seems favor-
able for building up a strong organiza-
tion. Much good has resulted and
more is hoped for.There is a good Sunday school
with a growing membership at the
Baptist church here.Mrs. Anderson Webb and children,
who have been visiting H. M. Queen
and other relatives here, have gone
to visit her brother on Big Sandy.Grover Queen and wife have re-
turned from Hellier, Ky., and will
farm here this year.Joe Queen, who has been visiting
his father's family here, has returned
home in West Virginia.W. R. Keys and family have moved
from here to Cannelton, W. Va., to
work in the mines.Mrs. Ellen Pennington has left here
for LaLande, N. M. She accompanied
Chas. Hodge and wife of Willard.
They expect to make that their future
home.James Gollihue, John Adkins, Chas-
Messer and family and — Gollihue
will start for Washington Wednesday.Born to Roll Prichard and wife, a
daughter; to Dr. M. L. Sparks and
wife a 10 pound boy; to Wesley Pen-
nington and wife a boy; to John Jones
and wife, a boy, and to Thos. Rice
and wife, a boy.Mrs. Richard England died a few
days since.A little daughter of Taylor Wilburn
died of croup.Capt. W. V. Raison has returned
from Portsmouth.W. A. Webb, has returned from
Washington, D. C., where he visited
his sister, Mrs. Pennington. She
accompanied him home, and has
now gone to New Mexico.James F. Webb, who has been vis-
iting here for some time, has re-
turned to Olive Hill. From there he
expects to go to Oklahoma.Wesley Webb is closing out his
stock and will go out of business
soon. He expects to go West at an
early date.Joe Clark, who left here about a
year ago for Indiana, has returned
to Kentucky and will locate near
Fush.

Towsy Lize.

Shanon Branch.

SShannon Branch. Miss Annie Hardin visited Mrs. Jas. Shannon Sunday.

Muncy Childers and wife have
moved to the Sheridan Chapman farm
on Creek creek.Charley Wilson has moved to Reu-
ben and Millard Wilcox has moved in
to the house vacated by Charley.Otto Hammond and Miss Alvia Wooten
visited Miss Niza Miller Sunday.The infant child of Mrs. Annie
Hardin is seriously ill.Jeff Shannon visited Felix See,
recently.Arville Miller and wife of Blaine,
were the guests of H. J. Shannon
and wife Sunday.James Shannon and wife and John
Shannon and wife visited H. J. Shan-
non ad wife.Jeff Shannon and sister, Miss Emma,
visited their sister, Mrs. Nan-
ya Isaac Sunday.Ed Castley visited Miss Ida Wilson
Sunday.Clarence Mitchell and Howard Pres-
ton, of the K. N. C. visited home
folks Saturday and Sunday.Alex Shannon is on the sick list.
Misses Sarah Belle Cox and Emma
Shannon spent the night with Miss
Della Shannon recently.Rev. A. H. Miller preached at
Lick Creek Sunday.W. T. Cartmel and wife of Ashland,
are the guests of W. M. Cartmel, of
Torchlight.John Wilson visited Mart Isaac
Sunday.Charley Cox visited friends on
Shannon Branch Sunday.Mrs. Mollie Shannon was the guest
of Miss Emma Shannon Sunday.

Two Friends.

Sip.

There was church at Hoods fork
last Saturday and Sunday. Four were
baptized.George Green and wife of this place
visited their brother at Staffordsville
last Saturday and Sunday.Born to Tom Young and wife, a
big boy.Mark Green and wife visited Rev.
Miller Fairchild and wife's at Saturday
and Sunday.Lizzie Cordle is very low with ap-
pendicitis.Misses Ollie and Gertie Fairchild
visited Mrs. Louisa Salter Sunday.Isom Daniel, who has been very
low, is improving.

Lawrence Daniel visited Miss Lo-

MAKE ICE CREAM
FROM WATERand a small quantity of condensed
milk, if fresh milk cannot be had.

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Mix plain condensed milk costs .06.

Add enough cold water to make one
quart .00One 13c. package JELL-O ICE
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any one of you may have an attack
indigestion or stomach trouble
at any time, day or night.This harmless preparation will
digest anything you eat and over-
come a sour stomach in five minutes
afterwards.If your meals don't tempt you,
or what little you do eat seems to
fill you up like a lump of lead
in your stomach, or if you have heart-
burn, that is a sign of indigestion.Ask your pharmacist for a 50-cent
case of Papa's Diapepsin and take
one triangle after supper tonight.There will be no sour risings, no
belching of undigested food mixed
with acid, no stomach gas or heart-
burn, fullness or heavy feeling in
the stomach, nausea, debilitating
headaches, dizziness or intestinal
gas.This will all go, and, besides,
there will be no sour food left over in
the stomach to poison your breath with
nauseous odors.Your breath with nauseous odors,
for all stomach misery, because
it will take hold of your food and
digest it just the same as if your
stomach wasn't there.Actual, prompt relief for all your
stomach misery is at your phar-
macist, waiting for you.These large 50-cent cases contain
more than sufficient to cure a case of
Dyspepsia or Indigestion.

Two Girls.

Ohio Farms for Sale.

100 acres, 70 level land cleared, on
good pike, plenty good water the
year round. 9 room frame house,almost new. 1 stock barn, tool shed,
sheep barn, hen house, wood shed
and cow stable, all in good condition.Plenty good fence, about 12000
rods woven wire fence built in last
two years. Close to good school and
church. Price \$40 per acre. One-
half cash balance terms to suit pur-
chaser.60 acres practically all level land,
good fence all round the farm, dwell-
ing, barn, plenty running water all
the year, and good well. This is a
rare bargain for any one who is will-
ing to do a little repair work on
buildings. Price \$20 per acre.100 acres, 50 level, 60 cleared.
Close to school and church. 5 wells
and plenty running water. 1 five
room dwelling, tenant house, barn,
tool shed, stock shed, straw shed,
2 corn cribs, hog house, hen house,
smoke house, milk house, and plenty
of fence. An ideal grain and
stock farm. Wants to settle up an
estate. Price 27.50 per acre.An ideal farm for all purposes,
dwelling, new barn 26x60 feet, cistern
and never failing well, plenty
running water. 25 acres under cultiva-
tion, 20 acres pasture, 15 acres
woods, balance meadow. Plenty of
timber, not an acre of waste land.
On good pike, in best of neighborhoods,
new traction line will pass within one mile, oil and gas
developments will soon begin. Price
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Big Sandy News

FRIDAY, March 19, 1909.



Insure with Wallace. Life, fire accident, etc. Office near depot.

Go to Elwick & Hale for onion sets.

Attend the Old Fiddlers' Contest Saturday night of this week.

COW WANTED—First class Jersey cow. Apply to M. F. Conley, Louisa, Ky.

Not to be out of fashion Louisa put on her "lid" last Sunday good and tight.

E. J. Skaggs and wife have disposed of their property in Louisa and gone to Norton, Va.

And now the wild geese are reported going north. They are pretty good judges of the approach of spring.

Wm. DeRossett, formerly of this place, but now of the police force of Vicksburg, was here recently, visiting relatives.

Recruiting Sergeant Blevins, U. S. A., of Huntington, was here last week visiting relatives in Louisa and vicinity.

St. Patrick's day was clear and bright. It wasn't as warm as the 4th of July, but it might have been worse than it was.

Chas. F. See has purchased from Geo. L. Wellman a farm on Mill creek, near Fort Gay, and has moved his family there.

H. C. Sullivan is in Catlettsburg assisting in the prosecution of the Prewitts, charged with the murder of Conductor Blevins.

Mrs. Louisa McClure is very sick at her home at this place. She has a severe case of rheumatism, as well as other ailments.

John Burns and family are now occupying their elegant new residence. Mrs. Burns is considerably improved in health, but is yet quite weak.

W. D. O'Neal, of counsel for defendants in the Sprague and Kelley trial, and Sheriff Dick Stone were attending court at Grayson this week.

Sergeant Dayton Howard of the U. S. A., was here from Columbus, Barracks this week to visit his brothers who are attending the K. N. C.

The Democrats of Williamson have nominated A. C. Pinson, the incumbent, for re-election for Mayor, and W. B. Morrison, editor of the Enterprise, for Recorder.

During his term as collector of school tax in 1904-5-6-7-8, S. F. Reynolds collected \$7,414.12. His commission was \$673.09, and the amount he paid into the city school fund was \$8,735.03.

H. G. Wellman and wife went to White's creek on Sunday last to say good by to Dr. Adelbert Johnson, Mrs. Wellman's brother. Dr. Johnson is going to Denver, Col., to practice his profession.

On account of the unfinished condition of the auditorium the reception which had been planned for the students of the K. N. C. has been postponed. Due notice of its occurrence will be given.

An analysis of the hydrant water from Louisa is said to show that it contains large numbers of germs. The NEWS has several times suggested that those using the water for drinking purposes should boil it.

Jasper Vanhoose has been elected Marshal of Fort Gay.

WANTED—Girl to do general house work. Mrs. R. A. Bickle, Louisa.

L. C. Elkins and family have moved from this county, near the mouth of Blaine, to Minnesota. We wish them success.

George Riggs, a very clever and popular Louisa boy is now clerk at the Alger House, Catlettsburg.

About forty rafts came out of Tug on the recent rise, principally from Wolf Creek on the Kentucky side.

Mrs. A. M. Hughes entertained at Flinch last Thursday afternoon. The cut-of-town guest was Miss Roma Vaughan, of Pace, Va.

R. S. McConnell, of Mt. Vernon, O., was in Louisa, this week. He is connected with the Louisa Coal company, whose property is at Torchlight.

Allen Thornhill, a laborer on the N. & W., had one of his hands mashed last Wednesday. Dr. Bromley, the company surgeon, went up and attended the injury.

Millard Carey has gone to Philadelphia where he will engage in concrete work with his brother George Carey. After finishing a large contract there they will go to Ocean City, N. J., to do similar work.

Harry Corns, wife and mother, were in Louisa recently. Mr. Corns and his mother went to Ironton on Tuesday, where he will remain a short time before returning to Kentucky river. Mrs. Reba Corns will remain with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Lackey a few days.

WANTED—Success Magazine requires the services of a man in Lawrence county to look after expiring subscriptions and to secure new business by means of special methods usually effective; position permanent; prefer one with experience, but would consider any applicant with good natural qualifications; salary \$1.50 per day, with commission option. Address with references, R. C. Peacock, Room 102, Success Magazine Bldg., New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Skene and little son arrived here from Culego Wednesday morning. Mrs. Skene has been in California for almost a year.

PERSONALS.

J. A. Abbott was down from Torchlight Monday.

Harry Wellman went to Ashland last Tuesday.

P. S. Faquin was here from Catlettsburg Monday.

J. M. Cooksey, of Glenwood, was here on Monday.

Frank Maynard attended to business here last Monday.

G. C. Swetnam of Wilbur, was in this city on Monday.

L. G. Maynard, of Clifford was in Louisa last Monday.

Dr. M. G. Watson transacted business in Louisa last Monday.

Wm. M. Fulkerson, of Louisa, was in the city Sunday.—Tribune.

L. W. Borders, of Fort Gay, W. Va., was a Sunday visitor here.—Tribune.

C. E. Hensley was a visitor here from Louisa Sunday.—Tribune.

Miss Dora Woods, of Webbville, is the guest of Mrs. W. L. Watson, at Ashland.

R. H. Ragland, formerly of Louisa but now of Lexington, was here last Monday.

Mrs. H. B. Hulette and Mrs. James Evans were visiting friends at Potters Monday last.

James B. Preston is a well known visitor here from Louisa.—Catlettsburg Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Stewart went to Cincinnati last Thursday, returning on Friday night.

Mrs. W. D. Roffe and granddaughter, Virginia Schoize are visiting relatives in Catlettsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Johnson, of Catlettsburg, came up for the birthday celebration of R. T. Burns.

Mrs. J. C. Adams, of Catlettsburg, was called here to see her sister, Mrs. E. E. Shannon, who is sick.

Mrs. Evan Thomas, of Kimball, W. Va., was here on Monday last to her home after a visit to Pikeville.

L. E. Fitzwater and family left for Red Sulphur Springs, W. Va., last Monday for a stay of two or three weeks.

Sam Freese, of Cannel City, was in Louisa a day or two this week, visiting his parents. He left for home on Wednesday morning.

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Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the people of Fallsburg and vicinity for their kindness during the sickness and death of our husband and father. May God bless every one that lent a helping hand.

Mrs. Sam Caines & daughter.

Talking Machines And Records.



May now be purchased in Louisa at same prices as are charged the world over. The famous Victor machine, having the largest line of records made for any company in the world. Three different priced machines in stock at all times. Two (200) hundred latest records of the famous bands of the world, the finest singers, selections from speakers, minstrels, famous actors, etc., reproduced in your own home as perfectly as though you were listening to the performers themselves. It is the greatest achievement in history. People living in the remotest part of the country can keep up to date and well informed right at their homes and hear the best music of the world reproduced there.

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\$10, \$17.50, \$25.00 and \$30.00

Easy terms to responsible people.

We guarantee that you can not buy these machines one cent cheaper anywhere.

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The Greatest Values obtainable in the city are to be had here. This you can easily prove to your satisfaction by comparison. Look where you will then come. See our large and superb collection of

New Spring Suits at

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In style, workmanship, materials, finish and fit you can readily see the superior value of our clothes over others costing the same or more. If you would be posted on the correct fashions, get the best there is in wearables, and save money, then come to this store for everything you or your boys wear from hat down to shoes.



Free! Free!!

Until Easter we will give absolutely FREE with every purchase of \$10.00 or more a good Stem Wind and Stem Set WATCH. Guaranteed to keep good time.

"Ask About It."

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LEADING OUTFITTERS
Louisa, Kentucky.

Notice of Commissioner's Sitting.

Sarah Boggs Plaintiff vs. Notice of Commissioners' Sitting.

H. F. Holbrook, Adm'r.

The above cause having been referred to the undersigned Court's Commissioner for the purpose of settling the estate of Randolph Boggs

and for settlement with H. F. Holbrook administrator of said estate, I will on Monday the 5th day of April, 1909, at my office in Louisa, Ky., begin sittings in this case and hear all proof that may be presented in the action as to value of property going into said administrator's hands disposition of same, value of property, belonging to said Randolph Boggs and to make complete settlement of said matters.

F. L. STEWART, C. L. C.

Brig.

L. P. Williams and J. C. Skaggs have been putting out some nice lumber with their saw mill.

Henry Estep will manage J. E. Skaggs farm this season.

Moving seems to be the order of the day.

Chirley Keaton has moved to the Skaggs place and Isom Cartmel to Laurel creek.

Mrs. Josephine Fyffe made a trip to Elbert Skaggs' this week.

J. C. Skaggs finished his log hauling this week.

Mrs. Sena Skaggs visited relatives in Morgan last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Skaggs have been visiting at Millard Fyffe's this week.

Robert Sparks is suffering with a sore hand.

H. R. Skaggs is home from school.

Chums.

NIGHT ON BALD MOUNTAIN.

On a lonely night Alex Benton, of Ft. Edward, N. Y., climbed Bald mountain to the home of a neighbor, tortured with asthma, bent on curing him with Dr. King's New Discovery, that had cured himself of asthma. This wonderful medicine soon relieved and quickly cured his neighbor. Later it cured his son's wife of a severe lung trouble. Millions believe its the greatest Throat and Lung cure on earth. Coughs, colds, croup, hemorrhages and sore lungs are surely cured by it. Best for hay fever, grip and whooping cough. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by A. M. Hughes, Louisa, Ky.

OLD FIDDLER'S

Contest

SATURDAY NIGHT

MARCH 20.

Several Fiddler's have been engaged for the occasion and nobody should miss it.

We will Sell You

Windows and Doors

Cheaper Than Any Other Dealer

ANYWHERE.

We have a large stock bought at extremely low prices and we will undersell all competitors while these last.

GET OUR PRICES.—

Snyder Hardware Co.,

Louisa,

Kentucky.

* FARM NEWS. *

Nature furnishes many wet days in the spring, too wet for work in the field, but admirably adapted to putting things in order about the farm, while if put off or neglected until warm weather, it will be too late. Here is where the dairyman needs the use of his head to figure out what ought to be done the coming year in changes, additions or in alternations. The dairy room floor and surroundings need careful inspection to see that there are no holes where filth of any kind can accumulate to raise a bad smell. The same precaution should be taken about the cow stable floor, where holes will soon raise a fearful odor when warm weather and flies come again. These you may consider small things but they are big things in the dairy.

Spring weather is now looking us in the face and the dairyman must prepare for the change in management in time to get all the benefit such changes may call for. In the first place if you are using a separator, you had better give it a thorough overhauling to meet the fresh supply of milk in the spring. Give all the utensils a real holiday cleaning up, and especially the cans about the machine; not to forget the old oil in the cups, and test the machine's work in skimming to see if the set screws are working properly.

Here is where the average dairyman usually falls down. He takes for granted that which ought to arouse all his suspicions to keep him from guessing about that which ought to be thoroughly known. Before the spring work sets in, you must examine all the machinery on the farm that is used in the summer time, and this applies not only to machines, but should include every animal on the farm, which as far as possible testing proofs of cows, machinery and all things that can be tested. Here is where your good business sense comes in, while your careless neighbor bears his losses with many groans and complaints.

IMPROVEMENTS

Made in the United States From Washington to Taft.

1790—American sailing ship circles the globe.
1791—Anthracite coal in Pennsylvania.
1793—Whitney's cotton gin.
1796—Gas light (in Philadelphia).
1807—Clermont steams up the Hudson.
1811—Steamboats on the Ohio.
1812—Steamboats on the Mississippi.
1816—Tariff act.
1816—Steamboats on great lakes.
1816—First Savings bank (in Philadelphia).
1819—Savannah steams to Liverpool in twenty-six days.
1820—Steamboat runs from New York to New Orleans.
1825—Erie Canal Opened.
1830—Fourteen miles of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad opened.
1831—First American locomotive.
1834—McCormick reaper.
1837—Morse telegraph.
1841—Sewing machine.
1842—Railroad from New York to Buffalo.
1844—Telegraph from Baltimore to Washington.
1849—Gold stampede in California.
1849—First screw propeller.
1850—Copper mines on the lakes.
1853—New York clearing house opened.
1854—Rock Island Railroad begun.
1858—Sleeping cars.
1865—Bessemer steel.
1869—Union Pacific completed.
1876—Bell telephone.
1878—Edison electric light.
1880—Broadway lighted by electricity.
1883—Electric railway in Baltimore.
1884—Natural gas.
1885—New navy begun.
1887—Gold in Alaska.
1888—Linotype.
1890—American pig iron output passes Great Britain's.
1893—Great Northern railroad built to coast.
1895—Long distance electric power transmission.
1897—Opening up of foreign markets for American manufacturers.
1898—Industrial promotion boom.
1901—Steel corporation.
1906—Wireless telegraphy across the ocean.
1907—Electric trains on the New York Central.
1909—American battleship fleet circles the world.
—Washington Post.

Some good sensible suggestions are made in an English exchange by an old dairyman and we are impelled to quote them herewith: He says churning really consists of the knocking together of the tiny particles or globules of butter fat present in milk or cream make them unite and form solid butter. Because in milk they are distributed among a lot of watery matter or serum, and it is difficult to get them together, they are concentrated in the form of cream. But even in thin cream churning may be difficult unless the temperature is raised considerably. If the cream is too thick the cohesion to a certain extent is stopped because the fat globules stick together more or less instead of coming into violent contact with one another, as it is desired they should, so as to unite little progress in the first month of form butter. In churning very thick its existence, but no serious threats of

The Cuban republic has made but it is often found that it an uprising.

Announcements.

RATES FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS.
County offices - - - - - \$3.00.
Higher offices, \$5 to \$10, according to importance of office.

Terms, invariably in advance. We cannot extend credit for announcements at the same rate.

All articles pertaining to candidates are charged for at the regular rate of five cents per line, subject to a discount on lengthy articles.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce M. G. BERRY as a candidate for County Judge of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce W. M. JUSTICE as a candidate for County Judge of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

COUNTY CLERK.

ROWLAND B. SPENCER announces himself a candidate for County Court Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election November 1909.

We are authorized to announce LANDON E. BRADLEY as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce LAFE WELLMAN as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce WAYNE OSBORN as a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican party.

ADAM HARMON announces his candidacy for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

MONT HOLT.

Candidate for County Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican party. Your support is very respectfully solicited.

We are authorized to announce CHAS. B. PETERS as a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

KENNIE CYRUS.

We are authorized to announce A. J. SCOTT, as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce MONROE WEBB, son of A. J. Webb, of Olioville, as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce MILT EVANS as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JAY O. DANIEL as a candidate for Superintendent of Schools of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR JAILER.

We are authorized to announce E. W. CHAMBERS as a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce J. W. PRESTON as a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce W. M. YORK as a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR MAGISTRATE.

We are authorized to announce JOHN A. COMPTON as a candidate for Magistrate of Fallsburg and Bear Creek district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

JOHN HUGHES announces his candidacy for Magistrate from the district composed of Twin Branch and Lower Louisa precincts, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

J. W. Elkins announces his candidacy for Magistrate in district composed of Falls of Blaine and Bear Creek, subject to the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce EUGENE CURNUTTE as a candidate for Magistrate of Fallsburg and Bear Creek district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

For Sale by the Author.

JERRY COOKET (Bill's son) as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce H. B. HEWLETT as a candidate for Clerk of the Lawrence Circuit Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

S. J. PICKLESIMER is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Circuit Clerk.

We are authorized to announce RICE McCLURE as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce SAM NEACE as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk of the Lawrence county court, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE E. CARTER as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce ADD SKEENS a candidate for the office of County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce G. E. FUGETT as a candidate for County Attorney of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

JAMES W. HINKLE announces his candidacy for County Attorney of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce MERT SHANNON as a candidate for County Attorney of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

COUNTY ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce TOBE HARMON as a candidate for Assessor of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

I am a candidate for Assessor of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Your support is solicited. This is the first time I have ever asked for office.

ALBERT RATCLIFFE

We are authorized to announce CHARLES W. COOPER, of Cherokee for Assessor of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.
JAMES A. CASEY, of Fallsburg, announces his candidacy for Superintendent of Schools of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JAY O. DANIEL as a candidate for Superintendent of Schools of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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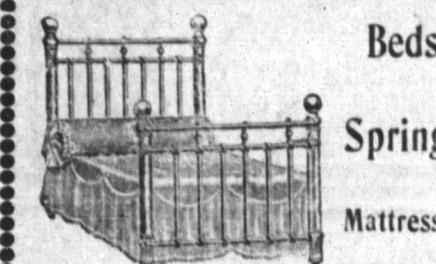
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A SERMON

By Rev. Zephaniah Meek, D. D.

Catlettsburg, Kentucky.

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(A sermon delivered in the Methodist Episcopal Church, S. W. Catlettsburg, Kentucky, December 13, 1898, to a very large audience, composed of the two Methodist congregations of the City.)

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Take Hale's Family Pills for con-

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WEST VIRGINIA NEIGHBORS.

Miss Rebecca Trimble, a stenographer, of Fayetteville, W. Va., committed suicide at the home of her aunt in that town Sunday afternoon by shooting herself through the head as she stood before a mirror in her room. No reason is assigned for the rash act.

Barbourville, W. Va., March 12.—After an exciting chase of four days along Guyan and the Ohio rivers with ten officers in pursuit, Erie Branege, charged with assaulting Mrs. J. H. McComas, of West Hamlin, was apprehended in Ironton last night. The authorities of Lincoln county fear trouble when they reach there with the prisoner. The woman is in a serious condition.

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Governor Glasscock stated Saturday that one of the most important duties will fall upon the new board of public works will be the appointment of the boards of review and equalization in the several counties in the State. These boards, which will consist of three persons, are to be appointed after April 1st. They will sit on July 5th and after for the purpose of equalizing the valuation placed on property by the assessors. The members of the board will serve six years and will receive \$4 a day, but cannot sit more than 25 days in each year.

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T. A. Andrews, who was arrested last week by an N. & W. passenger conductor for firing a pistol on a train at Devon, has been held to the grand jury by Justice Chaffin. Bail was fixed at \$500, in default of which Andrews was sent to jail.

Maud Coleman, the woman who was with Andrews in the train, and who was fined \$25 and costs by Mayor Elmon for concealing the weapon Andrews is alleged to have fired, is being held as a witness. She refused to testify against Andrews in Justice Chaffin's court and the justice held her in the sum of \$200. She could not give bond and is also in jail.

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News has reached this section of a bold robbery which occurred near Williamson, which has created a great sensation.

The report says that while walking along the track of the Norfolk & Western railroad, Tuesday night, one mile below Williamson, Frank Fair, a well known and popular employee of the railroad company was set upon by a gang of highway men and beaten almost to death. After having beaten their victim into insensibility with his own lantern which he was carrying and other weapons, they robbed him of a large sum of money and a valuable watch, leaving them lying on the railroad track where he might have been run over by a freight train which was due soon after the act was committed. Fortunately the man revived, and succeeded in making his way to Williamson when he gave the alarm and officers were put to work trying to run the robbers down.

OVER THE WIRE.

Photographs of Taft and Roosevelt Telephoned to New York.

New York, March 9.—Photographs of President Taft and ex-President Roosevelt were flashed over the wires from Washington to New York last week. These are the first photographs which have been telephoned in the United States. The President and Ex-President were snapped in Washington as they started for the ceremonies of inauguration, and twenty minutes later their photographs were being printed and circulated in New York by the newspapers.

A tiny shadow cast by an infinitesimal piece of aluminum foil on two delicate wires fluctuated, stirred, stopped, and moved again in a Korn telegraph box in Washington, and its counterpart repeated its movements exactly in New York. There are no brain cells in a phototelegraph box, but there are couple of selenium cells, which are almost as wonderful and much more accurate in their transmission of motions. The tiny shadow cast in New York partly uncovered in its fluctuations a triangular aperture, behind which rotated a sensitized film in a darkened box. In Washington a transparent photographic "positive" not a negative of the picture being transmitted was rotating on a glass cylinder in perfect time with

the sensitized film in New York. The machine is run by a storage battery of 200 volts, but so delicate is the mechanism that transmits the photographs that the electric current necessary is measured in milliamperes. That is to say it takes about 500 times as much current to light an ordinary sixteen-candle power electric bulb.

The actual time necessary to transmit a photograph is about 12 minutes, or about the same length of time it would ordinarily take to telegraph a news story of 600 words. The telegraphed photograph presents a mottled or grained appearance not unlike a photogravure, having completely eliminated the lines appearing across its face, hitherto considered inevitable in telephotography.

BURKE'S GARDEN

Was Once a Large Lake According to Theory of Rev. Burwell Spurlock.

Rev. Burwell Spurlock, who was probably the ablest minister of the gospel in this State during his day, but who died several years ago in Wayne County, once told an interesting story of a flood which had swept down the Ohio River at some time, probably more than an hundred years ago.

He stated that when his father came to West Virginia and settled at Green Bottom, 18 miles above Huntington on the Ohio river, he erected his cabin on the bank of the river, a short distance from a small stream known as Lower Pond Cut. He said this was about 1790, and he was quite a small boy. There were some huge elm trees standing in the bottom and thirty feet from the ground a drift log was lodged in the big branches of these trees. It was his opinion that there had been a flood that would exceed anything known by probably 20 feet. His theory was that what is known as Burke's Garden in Tazewell county Va., had once been a vast inland lake and by some cause its walls had given way and its waters had rushed out into the New River thence down the Kanawha and Ohio rivers, sweeping everything before it. This must have occurred prior to 1740 as he said the oldest people living at the time of his boyhood had heard nothing about such a thing. He stated that there could be no doubt but what the large log was lodged as above stated by its being floated in among the branches by high water.

Rev. Mr. Spurlock was once a pastor of a church at Lexington, Ky., and preached frequently to Henry Clay, who so greatly admired him that he presented his name before the United States Senate for election as chaplain of that body and he lacked but two votes of being elected.

Most of the old and middle aged people of Louisa and vicinity well remember the old giant, Burwell Spurlock. He was an intellectual king, a very prince among ecclesiastics. In his prime he stood head and shoulders above his fellows of Methodist clergy. He was a ripe scholar, deeply versed in theology and the doctrines of his church. And with all his scholarship and ability he was as modest as a woman. His like has not since appeared.

Judge R. T. Burns not long ago procured a large picture of Rev. Spurlock and it now hangs in his office in Louisa.

The Possum and the Negro.

The possum and the negro represent a serious problem to Mr. Taft. After having eaten the possum what is going to do about the negro?

Eating the possum—that is to say, enjoying the enthusiastic hospitalities of the South; realising that the South is a present more than half inclined to make a hero out of him, and that it is beginning to expect large things from his administration—no doubt all this has, and will have in the future, an certain effect upon his "Southern policy."

In short the possum, and all the talk back and forth across the festive boards to which the possum lent its gracious and juicy presence, has likely strengthened Mr. Taft's idea that the "Solid South" is breakable, and that he is the man to break it.

Perhaps, but how about the negro?

How much of the Southern point of view with regard to the negro

At the Waist

Mr. Taft imbibes while eating the possum?

The tumult and the shouting dies, the possum and the Tafts depart. The negro is still here. And Mr. Taft is going to show himself a mighty clever politician indeed if he can break the solid Democratic South without at the same time impairing the Republican solidity of a few Northern States.—Don Marquis, in Uncle Remus's—The Home Magazine for March.

A LETTER

From W. A. Osborn to the Republican Voters of Lawrence Co.

MY DEAR SIRS:

My needs, more than my desire to mingle in politics, have prompted me to appeal to you in the coming campaign. Weak as my poor efforts have been, I have always tried to stand for the right. For this I deserve nothing more than that accorded to every honest man.

The office of County Clerk is a gift with the people, and were I able to take up an occupation that would in any way promise a fair livelihood, I am sure that I would not think of contending for this office, and would leave it to some one of my worthy opponents.

If you believe that my strength of position would insure victory in November, and if you believe that my standing as a man would warrant your support in the coming primary, I can assure you that no one would appreciate it more than I.

The aid that I am asking from you cannot impoverish you in the least, but may very materially enhance my prospects for the future. I have but lately started out in life to maintain and provide for a home that I may call my own, and I do not believe that I am asking too much of my friends when I ask them to give me a chance.

Both of my opponents have a good start in life, and are able to cope with the duties and responsibilities of life in any line. With me it is somewhat different. Nature has seen cause to limit my action in the field of labor and the various avenues of success are limited to a great extent. Fate has deprived me of many of the opportunities and advantages which they enjoy.

I only ask you for your vote and the weight of your influence, and I trust that I am not asking for more than you can give. I would be glad to see each voter in person before the primary comes off, but the time is too short and it is impossible to do so. You herein have my wishes and I trust you to consider them just the same. Vote for the one you believe would be successful in the final contest. If I am not that man then I do not ask or expect your support. I now leave it all to you, and remain

Very Truly Yours,
A. W. OSBORN.

NIGHT ON BALD MOUNTAIN.

On a lonely night Alex Benton, of Ft. Edward, N. Y., climbed Bald mountain to the home of a neighbor, tortured with asthma, bent on curing him with Dr. King's New Discovery, that had cured himself of asthma. This wonderful medicine soon relieved and quickly cured his neighbor. Later it cured his son's wife of a severe lung trouble. Millions believe it the greatest Throat and Lung cure on earth. Coughs, colds, croup, hemorrhages and sore lungs are surely cured by it. Best for hay fever, grip and whooping cough. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by A. M. Hughes, Louisa, Ky.

Notice to Democratic Candidates.

All candidates who expect to enter to enter the Democratic primary election on April 17th are requested to meet at Louisa on April 1st to attend to various matters in connection with the primary.

At about one o'clock on that day lots will be cast for positions on the ballots.

All are urged to attend.

A. O. CARTER, Chairman.

Pains at the waist, back, front, or side, are nearly sure proof of female trouble. Some other signs are headache, pressing down pains, irregular functions, restlessness, cold limbs, nervousness, etc. These pains may be allayed, the system braced and the womanly functions regulated by the use of

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Mrs. Annie Hamilton, of Stetsonville, Wis., writes: "Cardui saved me from the grave after three (3) doctors had failed to help me. It is a good medicine and I recommend it to all suffering women." For sale at all druggists, in \$1 bottles.

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Write today for a free copy of valuable 64-page illustrated Book for Women. If you need Medical Advice, describe your symptoms, stating age, and reply will be sent in plain sealed envelope. Address: Ladies Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

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Farm for Sale.

A farm of 192 acres, all tillable, 6 acres bottom, 75 acres cleared, rest in timber. This is an excellent piece of land and will show for itself for corn, small grain or grass. More than 140 acres suitable for meadow. Good six room house, nearly new, fine well in yard. This farm is located six miles south of Louisa, one mile from C. & O. railroad and Big Sandy river on main road, and free Rural Mail Route. Mont Holt, Louisa, Ky.

Farms for Sale.

One farm containing about 75 acres, good house and orchard, rich soil, near Yatesville.

Also, a farm of about 50 acres, all level or bottom land, two good farm dwellings and good orchard. For prices and further particulars, address G. J. Carter, Yatesville, Ky.

Change in Precinct Boundary

Order of Lawrence County Court, November Term, 16th day of Nov. 190.

At a regular term of the Lawrence

County Court, begun and held at the

Court House in Louisa, Kentucky,

on the 16th day of November, 1906.

Hon. T. S. Thompson, regular judge,

presiding.

It is ordered that the line between Lower and Upper Louisa voting precincts be changed. So Main Street is the line to L. M. Copley's residence, thence with Boone alley to the Blaine road, putting squares Nos. 91 and 96 in Upper Louisa voting precinct.

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These dishes are made of the best iron-stone china, and are not the cheap, chalky kind that break easily.

The patterns are pretty and the finish is fine. \$12 is less than the wholesale price on some of these sets. If you need a set you'd better get one of this lot, as no more will be obtainable at these prices.

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Financial Statement of the CITY OF LOUISA, KENTUCKY

I. C. B. Bromley, Clerk of the city of Louisa, Ky., hereby make the following financial report to the Mayor and members of the City Council for the year 1908:

Amount on hand and received of R.

A. Stone, Ex-Marshal..... \$128.46

Adv. and poll tax 1908..... \$2461.57

Received from fines..... \$240.10

Received from license..... \$182.50

During the year 1908 the following orders were drawn, and paid by the Treasurer.

Gas account..... \$181.50

General expense account..... \$198.38

Street lamps and new crossings..... \$995.76

Street light and Marshal acc't..... \$589.06

Water rent and hydrants..... \$599.25

Officers' Salary..... \$218.60

Error in calculation in Dec report..... \$162.80

Balance on hand in this fund..... \$67.28

Special school fund, 1908.

Cash received by the treasurer in this fund..... \$610.53

Paid Bond No. 1 and interest..... \$105.00

Paid Bond No. 38 and interest..... \$105.50

Paid Coupon 1907 (18)..... \$108.00

Paid Coupon 1908 (36)..... \$216.00

Balance on hand in this fund..... \$76.03

Further indebtedness.

Kentucky school bonds..... \$3600.00

Common City Bonds..... \$1100.00

Outstanding claims in hands of

Finance Committee..... \$51.45

To persons who furnish lights..... \$69.00

City Officers..... \$97.50

City Officers..... \$36.00

Am't due G. W. Atkinson (water)..... \$449.75

Total..... \$5403.70

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Jattie.

D. J. Thompson and B. B. Wells were business visitors at Willard last week.

Little Miss Chloral Giles is seriously sick with a complicant of diseases.

Several of the young folks from this place attended church at Green Valley Sunday.

Rob. Johnson, of Fallsburg, paid home folks a visit Sunday.

John Bailey, of Ratcliff was here Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Giles, of Grayson is visiting relatives at this place.

The baptizing near this place Sunday evening was largely attended.

Lafe and Cyrus Webb passed here Sunday en route to Webbville.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wells is very sick with fever.

Miss Belva Johnson was visiting Misses Maggie and Sarah Brainard Friday night.

D. J. Thompson attended the cattle sale on East Fork Saturday.

Morton Hammood was a business

visitor here Saturday.

There was church here Sunday night by Rev. Rice.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hillman, who has been sick for some time, is better at present.

Howard Webb and sister, Miss Hattie, attended the baptizing Sunday.

Quarterly meeting will be held at this place the second Saturday and Sunday.

Cornelius Wright passed here recently with several head of cattle. Kentucky Girl.

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OUR NEIGHBORS.

Woods G. Whitt has returned from North Carolina to Russell, Ky., and will engage in business there, having decided to quit railroading.

Wash Ratliff was one of the old-time colored men of Pike county. He died at Zanesville, O., on Feb. 27th, and his remains were brought to his old home near this city for treatment—Pikeville Herald.

The Carter grand jury was in session all last week, and examined quite a lot of witnesses, finding 102 true bills which incriminate more than 150 persons some of them being for murder and stringing out down to playing cards for money.

Frank Connolly, age 14, of Pikeville who has been in hospital in Cincinnati for several weeks is reported to be not much better. He is suffering from necrosis of the bone in one leg and it is feared that the limb will have to be amputated.

The Republicans in convention at West Liberty last week nominated Sam H. Patton of Breathitt county, member of the state legislature from this 6th district, composed of the counties of Breathitt, Magoffin, Morgan, Owsley and Wolfe.

At a session of the Catlettsburg police Court Deputy Sheriff Stumbo of Floyd county was given a hearing because of his efforts to have Samuel Rosenthal, a prosperous merchant of this city, dance at the point of a gun. Sheriff Stumbo was feeling rather high and mighty from a number of drinks, and proceeded to stir up what he thought would be a lark, but the fun cost him \$50 in court this morning.—Independent.

A big real estate deal was consummated at Russell Wednesday by which C. W. G. Hannah and E. E. Fullerton closed the deal with Col. W. J. Worthington for the latter's farm just below the Russell yards. The farm contains 93 acres and \$20,000 was the consideration. It is the intention of Messrs. Hannah and Fullerton to organize a

stock company, lay the farm off in lots and sell them. They will also put in a ferry between Worthington and Hanging Rock.

In the Carter Circuit Court: Hrlin Ross charged with the murder of Chas. Flannery, was tried and acquitted of the crime.

The case of Fred Fields, charged with the killing of Logan Frazier, was laid over until the June term, on account of the defendant being very low with fever.

Clyde and Claude Hall, charged with the murder of Tom Fraley were acquitted.

The most successful revival meeting ever held at East Fork M. E. Church South, has just been brought to a close, after a continuance of 18 days, and with excellent results. Rev. E. V. Perry, pastor of the Grassland Circuit, writes that several men and women of prominence in the community were converted and have joined the church, in three instances every member of large families with the exception of one in each, were converted. The meetings were conducted by Rev. David Leslie and Rev. Mr. Perry.

Recent deaths in Pike county. On Saturday, March 6, Mrs. Martha Clevenger, wife of Pharo Clevenger, died at her home on Elkhorn, aged about 19 years.

On March 7, 1909, Martin Gilliam, Esq., who resided on Stone Coal, about six miles from Pikeville, died at the age of 78 years. He was one of the good citizens of Pike county.

Matilda Huffman, relict of the late Andrew Huffman, was born March 2, 1833, and died March 4, 1909, at her late home on Choke creek, near Pikeville.

Pikeville, Ky., March 12.—The County Republican Executive Committee met here yesterday and called off the delegated convention, and called instead a regular primary election for April 24th, to nominate county officials, to be voted for at the coming November election.

Consequently today some of the candidates are treading on air, uncertain as to where they will land, while others, as "Uncle Josh Weatherbee" would express it, are blue enough to almost cause them to stick their noses in their ears and blow their heads off.

In the Floyd Circuit Court these cases were disposed of:

In the case of the Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Alex Martin, charged with the murder of his wife, the jury delivered a sentence of life imprisonment. The defense was based upon a plea of insanity, which is the first case in which insanity was the plea that has ever been tried in the Floyd Circuit Court.

Commonwealth vs. Bpurns Combs charging wilful and malitious shooting and wounding Frank Akers. The defendant was convicted and fined \$200.

Commonwealth vs. Will Halbert and others, charging murder, the

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MRS. JOHN HOPP.

MRS. JOHN HOPP, Webster Ave., Glendale, L. I., N. Y., writes:

"I have been suffering for the past ten years with many symptoms incident to my age, also catarrh and indigestion. I was weak and discouraged, had no ambition, could not sleep at night, and lost greatly in weight.

"I tried other remedies, but with no success, until I commenced to take Peruna. I now feel better in every respect, can sleep well, and have gained in weight. I cannot praise Peruna highly enough for the good it has done me.

"If any women are suffering as I did, I would advise them to try Peruna and convince themselves. Peruna has done me good. I know by my experience that it is worth its weight in gold to any one who needs it.

"I also took Manalin, for constipation, in connection with Peruna, and I found it helped me where other laxatives failed."

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graveyard. We have a son buried there. Her health is bad and for her sake I will remain here, and there being nothing else they can get to do to support myself, I will continue to be a candidate for said office.

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There are many obstructions, but none so desperate as poor health. Success today demands health, but Electric Bitters is the greatest health builder the world has ever known. It compels perfect action of the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, purifies and enriches the blood, and tones and invigorates the whole system. Vigorous body and keen brain follow their use. You can't afford to slight Electric Bitters if weak, run-down or sickly. Only 50c. Guaranteed by A. M. Hughes, Louisa, Ky.

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MEN'S SHOES

MEN'S SHOES		
\$4.00	Kind, Bankrupt Price	\$3.00
3.50	"	2.60
3.00	"	2.25
2.50	"	1.85
2.00	"	1.50

BOYS' SHOES

BOYS' SHOES		
\$3.00	Kind, Bankrupt Price	\$2.25
2.50	"	1.85
2.00	"	1.50
1.50	"	1.00
1.00, 1.25	"	90

WOMEN'S SHOES

WOMEN'S SHOES		
\$4.00	Kind, Bankrupt Price	\$2.85
3.50	"	2.25
3.00	"	2.00
2.00	"	1.50
1.25	"	90

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Big lot going at ONE-HALF OFF.

FURNISHINGS

We have a big lot of Working Shirts and Dress Shirts 33 1/3 per cent off.

OVERALLS

200 pair of Overalls going at 1-3 off.

HATS

500 Hats including the No-Name going at manufacturer's price.

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We have tables loaded with odd pants, children and men's Clothing.

It will pay you to give us a look before you purchase.

To the neighboring merchants: If you are in need of any of the above articles we would be glad if you would let us figure with you on some of this merchandise.

We will have only 20 days to close this stock out and it must go by that time. So come early. Only 20 days to buy this stock of merchandise.

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